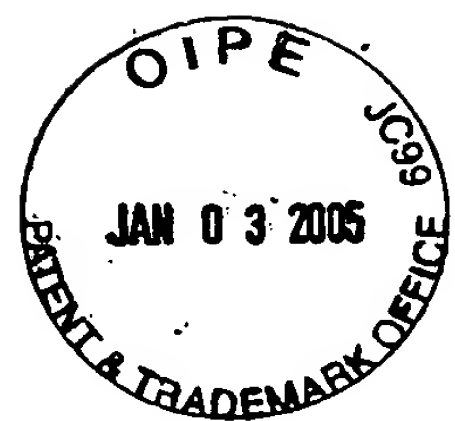


1634/\$
[Signature]



PATENT
Attorney Docket 044921-5004

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **PRASHAR, Yatindra et al.**)
Application No.: **09/674,607**) Group Art Unit: **1634**
Filed: **November 14, 2001**) Examiner: **Carla J. Myers**
For: **A Process to Study Change in Gene**)
Expression in T Lymphocytes)

Commissioner of Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
2011 South Clark Place
Customer Window, **Mail Stop Amendment**
Crystal Plaza Two, Lobby, Room 1B03
Arlington, VA 22202

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

- Transmitted herewith is an Amendment responding to the Office Action dated July 2, 2004 (next-business-date rule applies).
- Extension of Time

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension</u>	<u>[Fee for Small Entity]</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$ 1,590.00	\$ 795.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$1,020.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

01/05/2005 AWONDAF1 00000065 500310 09674607
01 FC:1253 1020.00 DA

3. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	12	minus	18	0	x \$50 each=	+ \$0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	01	minus	07	0	x \$200 each=	+ \$0.00
[] First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s)					\$360.00	+ \$
SUB-TOTAL =						\$
Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity						- \$
TOTAL FEE =						\$ 0

4. Fee Payment

- ☐ No fee is to be paid at this time.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the total fee of \$1,020.00 for three-months extension of time to Deposit Account 50-0310.
- ☒ EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP

Dated: January 3, 2005

By: Michael S. Tuscan
Michael S. Tuscan
Reg. No. 43,210

CUSTOMER NO. 09629
MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP
1111 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20004
Telephone: (202) 739-3000
Facsimile: (202) 739-3001